

Farwell To Mr. S. Lessor

The Calabash Club, the home of the elite young men of Frank, was the scene of a very enjoyable event on Saturday evening, March 20th, when a large crowd of Frank's business men and most popular citizens gathered there to bid a farewell banquet in honor of one of its members, Mr. S. F. Lessor, who left on Monday of this week to seek his fortune in other parts.

A presentation of a sea lion club bag, fitted with the most elaborate solid silver toilet fixtures and with the engraving "To Sam, from the boys of Frank, March 27" was made. Mr. Bourgeois, as chairman read the address, while Mr. Naylor presented Mr. Lessor with the gift. Mr. Lessor's surprise and gratitude were so great that words alone could not begin to express his appreciation but nevertheless, in a few well chosen remarks he thanked the boys for their many kindnesses.

Speaking testily to his good qualities and character and regretting to see Mr. Lessor leave Frank, were duly given by Messrs. Lang, Windsor, Clearline, Tompkins, Naylor, Mansel, Seville, McHugh, Ryan, Schuchter, Thompson, Houston, Stone, Moffatt, Henke, Murphy, Delaney, Ferguson, Joe Tompkins, Holmstrom, Hughes, Whittier and McLeod. After a sumptuous repast the crowd adjourned the evening at cards until midnight, when all joined in with "Go, he's a good fellow" and "And Long Sam" after which all bid a fond adieu and "good night."

The following is a copy of the address:

Dear Sam:—Some time ago we were informed that you were resigning your position here and although at the time we understood to make ourselves believe that the report was without foundation, we now find to our deep regret that the information was only too true and in fact you are about to leave our midst. During the course of years that you have been a resident of Frank and a member of the Calabash Club, your good qualities, frankness, integrity, generosity and other good qualities too numerous to mention have endeared you to every heart with whom you came in contact.

In your departure, the Calabash mourns a member and a true supporter. Mr. Lang a good and valuable salesman, the village of Frank a loyal citizen and the people of Frank in general, find it always pleasant and sincere.

Although sorry to see you depart, still we rejoice that the change is for your own good, as we understand that you intend to open up a business of your own in some other part of the country. We therefore hope that our loss will be your gain and that before many years have elapsed we will have the pleasure of meeting you again and find you prosperous and with plenty of the earthly gifts which nature's bounty grants only to her most favored suitors.

In conclusion, we ask you to accept this small token of our friendship and beg to assure you that should opportunity offer and you desire to visit us, you will always find the glad hands of your friends to welcome you back and the hospitality of the Calabash boys to offer you the best in their power as regards shelter, food and true loyal friendship.

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The North-West Quarter of
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Lots 50 by 100 feet, will be sold at from \$125 to \$200.
Terms easy and suitable to Purchaser.

Acres Lots will be sold for \$300 and parcels containing five or ten acres will be sold on easy terms.

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This QUARTER SECTION has been purchased from the Calgary and Edmonton Land Company by

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Lake City

Is the name of the western terminus of the proposed Crow's Nest Pass Electric Railway and is already tapped by the Pass line of the C. P. R., while the G. N. R. has already approached to within a few score of miles and must eventually pass through this admirably located town.

Lake City

Is located by the shore of Crow's Nest Lake, only a few miles east of the provincial boundary between Alberta and British Columbia, and just north of the International line. In reality, it is at the top of Canada, where the majestic Rockies tower in serene magnificence over great chasms and numerous floods, reflecting their presence on the waters of this beautiful lake. Here also are afforded the very best tasks for the daring mountain climber and for hunters who desire to outlive the quiet ways of the Rocky Mountain goat, sheep, deer or elk, which are the monarchy thereon. In close proximity are numerous timber, mineral and fuel resources, development of which is now in its initial stages. These resources include gold quartz, coal, iron and pulp wood.

Crow's Nest Lake has long been looked upon with promise as an admirable location for health and tourist resorts, and but now this promise is being realized. Plans for hotels, etc. are being arranged, as well as boat houses, and the most modern pleasure yards will soon glide over the surface of this beautiful lake.

But a few weeks ago lots were placed on the market, and the agents have had their hands full attending to purchasers. Prices run from \$150 up. For further particulars apply to the agents:

Thomas P. Cyr Harry J. Matheson H. S. Pelletier
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Blairmore Opera House

DON'T FORGET

The Magistrate on

Monday, March 18th

A Flash-Light Picture Will be Taken

Tickets: Gentlemen \$2.00, Ladies 1.50, Spectators 25c in Balance

Maskes Raised at 11.30 p.m.

None allowed on the floor unless masked to 11.30. Those having tickets for dances after maskes are raised will be free to balcony.

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A credit sale by Public Auction will be held at the Ranch of

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Two and one-half miles north of Cowley, on

Wednesday, March 20th

At 1 o'clock sharp
The following outfit will be sold absolutely without

Reserve Stock and Implements

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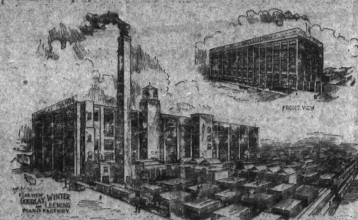
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The Rocky Mountain Cement Company

Will Enlarge Plant To Double Capacity--New Machinery To Arrive

The Rocky Mountain Cement Co. have all preparations made to double their present capacity and produce by May 1st 1000 barrels of portland cement per day.

The large rotary kiln 68,000 feet is already here, mills and fire brick are now on the road and will be here in a week or ten days.

The installation of the new equipment will take probably

six weeks to complete. The approximate expenditure will be in the neighborhood of \$15,000 and the work of installation will be under the supervision of Mr. C. J. Page, the local manager.

These improvements will make the Rocky Mountain Cement Co. plant one of the largest industrial concerns of the province. We are glad to see this company continuing its

progress. It started two years ago in a small way under the direction of Mr. W. J. Budd, developing as it was able. Today it is one of the great assets of the town of Blairmore, giving steady employment to a large number of men, and its present increasing development reveals careful and thorough going management. Such companies shall always be welcome in Blairmore—they help our town.

Monthly Meeting of Blairmore Council

The regular monthly meeting of the Blairmore town council was held in the council chamber on Monday night last, and was attended by a large audience of ratepayers. The mayor and all the councillors were present and a large amount of business was gone through.

Communications were read from the Winnipeg Rubber Co. re quotations on pipe and other equipment for fire fighting from Kerr, Laird & Kerr re debentures from Blairmore Board of Health re council office of council chamber for board's meetings from Thomas R. de debentures, his clients offering 64 p.c., or \$12,000, from McLeod & Gray, in reply to secretary's communication relative to right of the council to issue license to Avenue policeman, stating that council was at liberty to use their own discretion on the matter from Perry, Curro & Perry, re debenture bonds May & Jones, from Edmonton department of municipal affairs, re single tax law from W. J. Budd, offering to pay difference between \$30.00 and the full amount, favoring sale of debentures, and from A. B. Gibson.

The following accounts were read, passed by the different committees and ordered paid: Leg. Ass. account re by laws No. 1 and 2; salary J. B. Irwin, for half month's service as chief of police, salary W. L. Shera, 880, light account, Rocky Mountain Cement Co., \$30; office light \$4; Alberta Livery \$22; C. H. Erickson \$130 for repairs to sidewalk on Victoria street; for thawing water pipes, \$3; for official seal \$14; for Catering Stationery Co., \$28; for opening books \$2; Bartlett & Barrett \$22.50; Blairmore Hardware Co. \$50.00; Provincial Board of Health, Medicine Hat, for expenses in connection with the late Mrs. Burns \$24; Crosses West Flour & Feed Co. for ton of coal \$6.50; Woods & Steel \$50; Mar On \$1.10; P. Naimen \$15; H. G. Dilg \$43.70; H. T. Lloyd for work in connection with light system \$2.00; and several other small accounts.

Council was informed of the intention of the West Canadian Councillors to build a sidewalk along Victoria street west in front of their subdivision. Council offered to build crossing where necessary.

Councillor Sinclair asked if steps were being taken for the removal of the many old buildings that obstruct some of the

street lines, and was informed that such would be attended to and report would be brought in at an early date.

Smith—Sinclair—That two meetings per month (second and fourth Mondays) be held in future.—Carried.

Sinclair—Chestnut—That the mayor and chairman of finance committee be authorized to arrange for contact with Mr. McLeod, and disposal of money held on debentures.—Carried.

Some discussion took place over the town band instruments. The police reported having secured several of them, but others refused to deliver.

Committee, pending to have police band.—An agreement between the band master and Messrs. Beebe, Frayer and Motion was read. This document was signed by E. Tronsgaard, witness.

The bandmaster, wanted \$375 for the instruments held by them. It was ordered that matter be referred to the town solicitor, and that the chief of police act on his advice.—Carried.

Sinclair—Chestnut—That town purchase a Remington typewriter.—Carried.

Farmer—Chestnut—That J. B. Irwin be appointed license inspector for the town.—Carried.

The matter of appointing a public health officer was taken up. Councillor Farmer recommended that doctor be interviewed and that health committee bring in report at next meeting.

Chairman of police committee was asked to report on pound at next meeting.

Farmer—Sinclair—That J. B. Irwin be appointed pound keeper.—Carried.

Councillor Daulton asked if town would make provision of engine.—Carried.

Farmer—Chestnut—That water works committee report at next regular meeting as to what was necessary in the way of water extensions, what installation would cost, etc.—Carried.

Councillor Smith asked if council intended providing that rates for water service to hotels. Council were of opinion that no such discrimination should be allowed.

Councillor Sinclair gave notice that he would at the next regular meeting introduce a by-law compelling all property front owners to pay water taxes, whether installed or not.

Councillor Smith, on behalf of the light committee, reported that the Rocky Mountain Cement Co. had ordered their

Commissioners of Inquiry Appointed

The Alberta Gazette contains notice of the appointment of G. T. Steiner, Edmonton; W. B. Dwyer, Calgary; and Walter F. McLeod, Calgary, as commissioners to make an inquiry into the mining law of the province of Alberta, and to report to the government any amendments of the law they may consider necessary.

Volunteer fire companies, and that as soon as it arrived the light system would be improved.

Farmer—McLeod—That the fire and light committee and the public works committee bring in recommendations re amount of material and equipment necessary for the new fire hall.—Carried.

Finance committee reported that debentures had been sold at 101 p.c., and that purchasing earlier would assume all expense of printing, solicitor's examination, exchange, etc.—Carried.

Smith—McLeod—That \$30 be kept back as security for the finishing of the work of installing the new lights.—Carried.

That town had not sufficient lighting according to former plans and that committee be empowered to have other lights placed, one at the railway crossing, one near the mine and two near tenth incising.—Carried.

Councillor Smith reported the fact that Blairmore's lately appointed fire chief would be alert at the alarm of fire, but not in Blairmore, for he was engaged in picking out from the finest most capable of Blairmore mine.

Sinclair—Daulton—That fire and light committee make a new appointment.—Carried.

Farmer—Smith—That fire and light committee interview West Canadian Collieries, re their offer of a site for the proposed fire hall, and to report at next meeting.—Carried.

Smith—Sinclair—That by law No. 6, regarding badly and disorderly houses, be read a first time.—Carried.

Farmer—Sinclair—That by law be read a second time.—Carried.

Daulton—McLeod—That by law No. 7, relating to dogs, be read a first and second time.—Carried.

Daulton—McLeod—That by law No. 8, relating to animals at large, be read its first reading.—Carried.

Sinclair—Farmer—For second reading.—Carried.

Chestnut—Daulton, for first reading of by law No. 9, relating to Regulations of Streets of

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Town of Blairmore.—Carried. Sinclair—Farmer, for second reading.—Carried.

Farmer—Sinclair, for first and second readings of by law No. 10.—For the establishment of a Pound.—Carried.

Reading of by law No. 11, re Medical Health Officer, was ordered to receive a special reading on Tuesday at 10 a.m.

The reading of the several by laws occupied much time, but no amendments were introduced.

A map showing the plans of the new Keystone Cement plant was shown to the council and their opinion asked thereon. If the plans as filed out, or recommended were acceptable to council, work of erecting this mammoth plant would proceed forthwith. Council would consider the matter and will do all possible to assist in the establishment of this new industry.

Meeting adjourned at 11.40 to meet again on Wednesday, March 20th at 8 p.m.